

14 LIQUOR COUNTS DROPPED

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Travel in Canada

Rumors fly fast and furious in war-time—and Dame Rumor usually is wrong. If it isn't a rumor about a spy-hunt here at home it is a rumor about some neighboring country letting Americans in but refusing to let them out. Travelers to Mexico even as late as this past spring were told you couldn't take a camera into that country, and if you did both the camera and the pictures would be confiscated. I personally know, however, you can take pictures all over Mexico. And here's the latest "wrong story" — it's about Canada:

Liberty Is Host to Nevada Stump Tour's Speakers

Sheriff Candidates Lead Off Program There

END FIRST WEEK

County Clerk Aspirants Conclude Fifth Speaking

Nevada Tour
(All meetings at night)
Bodeau, Monday, August 5.
Willisville, Tuesday, August 6.
Falcon, Wednesday, August 7.
Bluff City, Thursday, August 8.
Rosston, Friday, August 9.
Prescott, Monday, August 12.

By WAYNE JARVIS
The fifth speaking of the Nevada county stump campaign was held at Liberty Friday night, where a nice crowd assembled to hear the candidates make their announcements. The speaking was held at 7 o'clock in order to be through in time for church.

The Sheriffs

John A. Jarvis: "I am not a home boy here but I am not a stranger. During my term as county clerk I have tried to serve the people as well as I know how. It has been an unbroken custom of the people to promote a county clerk. That is not why I am running, however. We candidates expect Mr. Cottingham to get the most votes here but if any of you do not feel obligated to him I will appreciate your vote. If I am elected sheriff I intend to get a good deputy or deputies who can serve and who I can discharge whenever I want if they can not do the work. If I am elected and you ever need a sheriff give me a ring. If I do not get the man who did the crime, there will be no need for calling another man. I will still be in there digging."

Curious Wards: "If it wasn't for the eloud I believe I would make a good speech. If elected I will have only honest and capable deputies. I have been city marshal for several years in Prescott and have tried to keep the street there safe and clean for women."

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Beaverbrook Now in British Cabinet

Noted Publisher Joins Churchill's War Cabinet

LONDON — (P) — Prime Minister Churchill has invited Lord Beaverbrook, minister of aircraft production, to join the inner war cabinet.

The publisher will continue for the time being at the head of aircraft production—a task at which his flair for originality led him to ask housewives to give up their aluminum sauce pans for making spitfire planes. The response was so great he had to cry a halt.

His elevation means formation of a powerful sextet — Churchill, former Prime Minister Chamberlain, Viscount Halifax, Arthur Greenwood, Clement Attlee and Beaverbrook—to direct the war.

The press speculated that Chamberlain might retire, or that Beaverbrook's elevation might mean transfer of Ministry of Information Duff Cooper to some other job.

The Laborite Herald said: "There is growing relief that Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who is at present in a nursing home, is not likely to resume any heavy responsibilities. It is being stated that his present indisposition marks the end of his active career. In this event, Lord Beaverbrook may be expected to take over the ex-premier's duties (lord president of council) at an early date."

Highway 29 Ass'n Surveys Replies of the Candidates

Letters From Candidates Discussed at Lewisville

FOUR LETTERS READ

Move to Publish All Replies in Newspapers

Approximately 50 members of Highway 29 Association met at the courthouse in Lewisville Friday night at 8 o'clock to discuss replies received from different political candidates on the possibility of getting Highway 29 from Hope to the Louisiana line paved.

At a meeting held two weeks ago "pressure groups" were organized to contact all governor and congress candidates for the purpose of getting commitments in regard to the paving. At this meeting E. F. McFadden of Hope was elected chairman of the association.

Divorced From Campaign

Mr. McFadden in accepting the chairmanship told the meeting that he wanted it distinctly understood that he was "not interested in the governor's race" and would not use this association as a means to promote his candidate if he had one.

He thanked members of the "pressure group" Friday night for contacting the different candidates and read to the association replies from each.

A motion was made and passed to publish full contents of these replies in two newspapers in Lafayette and Hempstead counties and to have dodgers printed and mailed to the association members. Mr. McFadden was instructed to take care of this publicity.

Letters From Candidates

Oren Harris, candidate for congress, wrote the association that he would do all in his power to secure an allocation of federal funds and would like for this to be made known to the public.

Wade Kitchens, present congressman, stated that the highway department of Arkansas and Louisiana had not submitted this project to the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads and that the Bureau can not and will not get unless this is done. He reminded the association that the state had received full payment for toll bridges and that two of these bridges were in Lafayette and Hempstead counties and that he thought the people of these counties were due relief from the highway department. "I have done all that I can do," he wrote; "it is now up to the Arkansas highway department."

A letter from Homer Adkins, candidate for governor, assured the association that if elected he would see that highway 29 would receive its just portion of funds and that he would recommend this to his commission.

Carl Bailey, present governor, stated that all Arkansas highways were suffering from the failure of his re-funding act to go through and that he had been intending to improve highway 29 as soon as funds were available. W. W. Mitchell, state highway director has already been instructed to submit this matter to the commission and would act as soon as funds were available, Bailey concluded.

Short talks were made by H. C. Stuart and Willie Patten, of Lewisville, and L. T. Strange of Stamps.

Russians Resume Thrust at Finns

Soviet Encountering Trouble in Its Baltic Merger

MOSCOW — (P) — The Soviet press charged that Finnish police were clubbing pro-Russian workers across the border as the Russian Parliament undertook Friday night formal incorporation into the U. S. S. R. of three Baltic states and two provinces obtained from Rumania.

The Supreme Council (Parliament) with Joseph Stalin in attendance, unanimously adopted a resolution creating the Moldavian republic—the U. S. S. R.'s 13th member—out of the larger part of Bessarabia, seized from Rumania, and most of the old autonomous Moldavian republic.

The council gave the remainder of Moldavia and Bessarabia, plus the territory of northern Bucovina gained from Rumania, to the Ukrainian republic of the U. S. S. R. It adjourned until Saturday, when incorporation of the Baltic states may come up.

"Double-Header" Played Friday by Hempstead's Tour

Candidates at Saratoga for Day—Columbus at Night

LUNCH, SARATOGA

Candidates Go to Church at Columbus — Speak Afterward

Hempstead Tour
Guernsey, Monday, August 5
Fulton, Monday night, August 5
Blevins, Tuesday, August 6
Hope, Tuesday night, August 6
Washington, Wednesday, August 7
DeAnn, Thursday, August 8
Bingen, Friday, August 9
Hope, Monday, August 12

By J. T. BOWDEN

Friday Hempstead county's political stumpers participated in the first double bill of the present season. The daytime rally was held in the auditorium of the Saratoga High School and was presided over by John Russell. The candidates moved over to Columbus for the night appearance. There, due to threatening weather, the meeting was also held in the school auditorium with C. W. White acting as chairman.

At Saratoga the women of the Cemetery association served a plate luncheon on the lower floor of the school building, the proceeds going to the cemetery fund.

At both places the crowds ran well above the average in size and enthusiasm of those encountered thus far in the campaign. Various estimates of the size of the Columbus crowd between 300 and 400.

Revival at Columbus

The night meeting was nearly an hour late in getting started due to the revival meeting being held at Columbus by the Rev. Alonzo Cagle of Owensboro, Ky. Many of the candidates and visitors from other parts of the county attended the services and heard the inspiring message.

Candidates for the circuit clerk's post were first on the bill for the day with Arthur Anderson making the first talk. He was followed in order by Elmer Brown, J. P. "Pinkie" Byers and Cecil Weaver. The only other speakers during the evening were Royce Weisenberger and Jim Bearden who are the only two candidates running for the No. 2 post as Hempstead county representative.

Newt Pentecost, Charles Reynerson, JJim Bowden and Mrs. Gladine Morris, all seeking the county treasurer's job, were first to speak after lunch.

The County Judges

The road from Saratoga to Beard's lake became an issue about mid-afternoon when the county judge aspirants faced the microphone. Luther Higginson, the first speaker, started the discussion when he stated that he had never seen a road get so popular in the past few years. Both with local residents and with people from other parts of the county and even other counties coming there to enjoy the excellent fishing in the lake. He said that he would do his best, if elected, to secure an all-weather road from the town of Saratoga to the lake.

John L. Wilson, was next up and cited the fact that he had put in a steel bridge on the Beard's lake road during his administration that was still in good order and that all that had to be done with it was an occasional mending of the floor. He said that he was in favor of further improving the road so that the lake would be more easily accessible and more people could go fishing there. He promised the people he would do as well if not better when elected this time, than he did when in office before.

Fred Luck started out by saying that he was a young man full of pep and energy and that he was familiar with all modern road machinery, and all the modern methods of building and maintaining roads.

Said he: "I don't know whether I will be able to pave or even gravel the road from here to Beard's lake, but I can promise you that I will put it in better shape than it is now, and will keep it that way."

Field and Clark

Closing the Hempstead county program at Saratoga were Talbot Field, Jr., and Hugh Clark, who are the only two candidates seeking the No. 1 representative post.

Joe Booker had a few words to say regarding the candidacy of his brother, Lester Booker, for the state land commissioner's job.

Candidates without opposition who spoke were Sheriff Clarence Baker and Tax Assessor Dewey Hendrix. Last on the program were two candidates from Howard county who were given a few minutes to present their claims.

At the night meeting none of the candidates made any new charges, presented any new laws or made any

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Where 43 Met Fiery Deaths



In the interior of the charred railway shuttlecar, left, flaming death took the lives of 43 passengers when the "Doodlebug" a double-ended freight train collided head-on near Akron, Ohio. The crash split open the shuttlecar's gasoline tank and the liquid caught fire after spilling over the car and trapped all passengers. Three crew members escaped death.

Roosevelt Declares in Favor Compulsory Military Service

But Woodring, Ex-War Secretary, Says Voluntary Enlistment Plan Hasn't Been Given a Chance

WASHINGTON — (P) — President Roosevelt directly advocated peacetime military conscription Friday and his secretary of war, until less than two months ago, Harry W. Woodring, opposed it.

Hope Woman, 79, Dies on Saturday

Amanda Catharine Bright Succumbs Here

Amanda Catharine Bright, 79, resident of Hope for many years died early Saturday morning at the home of a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary Bright, North Ferguson street.

Surviving are six children: T. O. Bright of Hope, Mrs. M. B. Compton of Mission, Texas, Mrs. T. S. Bittick of Houston, Texas, R. C. Bright, T. E. Bright of Pine Bluff, Mrs. Glenn Crowell of Nashville, two brothers Rev. James H. Bennett of Hope, Sam J. Bennett of Hope, two sisters Mrs. W. L. Mahan of Arkadelphia and Mrs. Joe Bates of Little Rock.

Funeral services will be held at the Garrett Memorial Baptist church here at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon with Rev. Hollis Purdie, Rev. T. L. Epton of Nashville and Rev. Paul Byers of Magnolia officiating.

Burial will be in the Bingen cemetery.

M. Martin Opens Atty.-Gen's Race

Launches Vigorous Attack Against Incumbent Holt

FORREST CITY, Ark. — (P) — McElbourne M. Martin, Little Rock lawyer, formally opened his campaign for attorney general here Saturday afternoon with a vigorous attack upon Attorney General Jack Holt's use of special attorneys and his asserted opposition to Gov. Carl E. Bailey's highway bond refunding plan.

The two-man race for the office will not be decided until the second Democratic primary August 27. Holt, seeking renomination for a third term, has not made a formal opening speech. Martin, in his prepared speech, charged Holt had spent the past three and a half years in office "in the vain fostering of himself as a candidate for governor."

Declaring the refunding program was not an issue in the attorney general's race, Martin declined to voice his personal opinion on the merits of Governor Bailey's \$140,000,000 plan which will be voted upon at the November general election. He devoted about a third of his speech, however, to criticizing Holt's "administration of the

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Scattered Rains Bring Heat Relief

Past Week Reported to Be Hottest This Year

Temperature readings as recorded by the University of Arkansas Fruit & Truck Experiment Station near Hope shows the past week to be the hottest recorded so far this year.

July 29 was the year's hottest single day, with the mercury hitting 98 degrees.

Scattered showers in Hope and surrounding territory brought temporary relief the past few days.

Temperatures recorded for the past week follow:

July 28	95 degrees
July 29	98 degrees
July 30	98 degrees
July 31	96 degrees
August 1	95 degrees

Hundreds Dead As Italians Retreat

British Have Begun to Arrest Japanese Citizens

LONDON — (P) — "Many hundreds" of Italians have been killed, and large quantities of war booty, including many abandoned tanks, guns, vehicles, have fallen into British hands in fighting on the Libyan frontier an exchange telegram from Cairo reported.

By the Associated Press

Friction between Japan and Great Britain reaches a new high Saturday in the arrest of two of the most prominent Japanese business men in London with reports that others are being held throughout the empire and rumors existence that a big spy ring is centered in London.

Japan made strong protests against these arrests but the British insisted that the arrests were not in retaliation for Japanese arrests of Britons. The Japanese press insisted retaliation was the motive. The British press had urged retaliation.

The Japanese embassy said that Satoru Makihara and Shunsuke Tanabe, London managers of great banking firms were arrested.

Nazi Raids Extended
The Nazi air force extended all night raids on Britain into daylight, causing slight damage and few casualties resulted the British said.

7 Ships Sunk

BERLIN — (P) — The German high command has reported the sinking of seven armed British merchant ships, including three tankers in a convoy, by a lone Nazi submarine during a long distance cruise.

Freemasonry Dissolved

VICHY — (P) — The Vichy government has ordered the dissolution of Freemasonry and all other secret societies in France, it was announced Saturday.

The press charged that Freemasonry

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Only One Charge Remains Against Z. M. McCarroll

Ragon Orders Directed Verdict on 14 of 15 Counts

TRIAL CONTINUES

No Change in Status of House and Sherman

FORT SMITH — (P) — District Judge Heartsill Ragon Saturday ordered the dismissal of 14 of 15 counts of indictment on which State Revenue Commissioner Z. M. McCarroll is on trial in federal court here, leaving but one count charging conspiracy with Southwestern Distilled Products, Inc., for transporting liquor into dry states.

Fourteen counts on which a direct verdict of acquittal was ordered, charged that various substantive acts relating to transportation, making false entries in invoices, and other records as required by government regulations. The same action was taken Monday in reference to Deputy Commissioner Butler Toland.

The court refused to dismiss the remaining count against Toland and to change the status of Attorney Joe W. House and liquor wholesaler Dave Sherman who remained on trial on fifteen counts.

Surprise Witness

FORT SMITH, Ark. — (P) — The government produced a surprise witness in the three-week-old liquor conspiracy trial here Friday, to testify that he had heard James Cole, Southwestern Distilled Products, Inc., wholesaler, talk to Joe W. House about \$2,500 monthly payments described by Cole as "renting him" to sell liquor off the statehouse steps in Little Rock.

The witness was Frank Hickman, Tulsa (Okla.) attorney who defended Cole and several associates when they were convicted here last May of falsifying Southwestern records to conceal business with Oklahoma and Kansas bootleggers.

Hickman was brought to the stand in government rebuttal of testimony by House, Little Rock lawyer, on trial with three others charged with conspiracy with Southwestern to transport liquor into dry states in 1939. The other defendants are State Revenue Commissioner Z. M. McCarroll, Deputy Commissioner Butler Toland and Dave Sherman, Little Rock liquor wholesaler.

Cole testified for the government that in the summer of 1939 he had made monthly payments of \$2,500 to Sherman to give to House to be split 50-50 with McCarroll.

House brandished this testimony as false, also he denied Cole's charge that he had promised Cole a presidential pardon while the Southwestern manager was on trial for falsification. House said he had received a \$6,000 legal fee from Cole in 1939, and that it was strictly for his services as an attorney in representing Southwestern.

Wils Davis, co-counsel for Cole in the May trial also testified for the defense that he never had heard Cole say anything about any presidential pardon promise or any \$2,500 payment.

After the defense rested Friday afternoon, the court recessed for more than an hour while Hickman drove here from Tulsa in response to a government subpoena.

Hickman told Judge Ragon that the matter about which he was to be examined concerned a client and that he did not know if he could testify. Judge Ragon ordered him to take the stand.

United States District Attorney C. R. Barry asked Hickman:

"Were you present at a conference in the Goldman hotel here in May, when House was present, and Cole said to House: 'You know you told me that for \$2,500 a month I could sell the liquor I wanted to on the statehouse steps in Little Rock'?"

"I was present," Hickman said, "and that was said by Cole to House. It was something I had heard nothing about before and I asked for an immediate private conference with my client."

"What did House reply?"
"I can't say that House answered that question. But House said to Cole: 'There is no use getting hot about this. I can do you more good in the background than if I testify.' Cole

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COTTON

NEW YORK — (P) — December cotton opened at 9.27. Closed at 9.28. Middling spot closed at 10.36. Off 2.

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America Wants the Truth!

Whatever history's final verdict on the cause of the collapse of France, we know this: there were many causes. But one of them has not been much stressed up to now. And it is important. It is simply this: the French people were not told the truth about their situation. The result was that, fed on a diet of "credulity, complacency, and imbecile optimism," they were not prepared for the worst when it began to happen. And so their morale crumbled.

A writer for the Manchester Guardian, formerly its Paris correspondent, has called attention to the havoc wrought by the French censorship on the morale of the people. "The censorship," he said, "did not merely suppress unpleasant truths, but it encouraged pleasant falsehoods." For instance, the censorship would not have passed, he said, any reference to the shortage of sugar in Paris. (Yet every Parisian knew it existed.) All articles suggesting that Italy and Spain might split off from Germany were eagerly passed. Anything that suggested that Italy or Spain were unfriendly to the allies was blue-penciled.

The result was that the French people lived in a pleasant fog of self-deception. And when military disaster came, most people were so stunned that they could scarcely believe it, let alone cope with it.

Britain hasn't been making that mistake thus far. From Churchill down, their leaders have cried calamity, preparing people for the worst. The British press has freely criticized the state of Britain's readiness.

The result: Britain has not yet shown any sign of cracking.

It should be so in the United States. We are a people accustomed to know the truth. Any attempts to suppress it would have a very bad effect.

Is our war equipment out of date and pitifully scant? We want to know it. Are efforts being made to "muscle in" on American hemisphere interests? We want to know it. Precisely what commitments, expressed or implied, has our government made to other nations? We want to know it.

The American people is like that. It will not respond unless its leaders take it completely into their confidence.

It does not thrive when spoon-fed on a pap of complacency and witless optimism. It grows strong only on a diet of the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

WEAVER OF TALES

HORIZONTAL

1 Hans Christian writer of fairy tales.
8 He was by birth.
12 Uncle.
13 Sphere of action.
15 Fuss.
16 Containing gold.
17 Handled clumsily.
18 Boisterous play.
20 Deprives of support.
22 Young child.
23 Deeply.
25 Turned over.
28 Ventilating machine.
30 Fat.
31 Stop!
32 Bow in sky.
33 Idescent.
36 Golf device.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. HANS CHRISTIAN
2. DANISH
3. FAIRY
4. TALE
5. UNCLE
6. SPHERE
7. ACTION
8. FUSSE
9. GOLD
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Answer to Cranium Cracker

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- "On His Blindness," by John Milton.
- "Ode on a Grecian Urn," by John Keats.
- "To a Water Fowl," by William Cullen Bryant.
- "Recessional," by Rudyard Kipling.
- "To Celia," by Ben Jonson.

Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Hempstead County Democratic primary election, Tuesday August 13th.

For Congress
OREN HARRIS
WADE KITCHENS

For County Judge
FRED A. LUCK
JOHN L. WILSON
LUTHER F. HIGGASON

For County Treasurer
NEWT PENTECOST
MRS. GLADINE B. MORRIS
CHARLES F. REYNOLSON

For Circuit Clerk
CECIL WEAVER
J. P. (Pinkey) BYERS
ELMER BROWN

For Representative
No. 1
TALBOT FEILD, JR.
HUGH D. CLARK
No. 2
JIM BEARDEN
ROYCE WEISENBERGER

TWENTY YEARS AGO

August 3, 1920

Mrs. Lon L. Campbell and daughter, Mary Barton, who have been here for some time visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Johnson accompanied Mr. Campbell to Newport the first of the week. From there they will go to Cleveland, Ohio, to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Grigsby and children, Grady and Louise, returned yesterday from an automobile trip to points in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cornelius have returned from a pleasant visit to Dr. and Mrs. Colquitt at Pine Bluff.

Mrs. Roy Berry of Foreman, is visiting in our city.

Mrs. J. D. Barlow left yesterday for a visit to Little Rock.

Miss Jennie Betts has returned from a visit to Cordeur, Mo.

Mrs. Will Greene left this afternoon for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lake Greene at St. Louis.

Mrs. Robert Croshaw gave a birthday party for her son, Norman, at her home this morning.

TAKE IT EASY

By DR. JOSEPHINE L. RATHBONE

We All Need Periods of Doing Absolutely Nothing

No animal was ever expected to keep moving and on the alert for 16 or more hours at a stretch. Man, with his highly developed nervous system and brain, needs periodic rest just as much as the lower animals.

Man furthermore was never expected to prowl around at night. He cannot sense his environment in darkness. So, until very recently, he went to bed at nightfall and arose at dawn.

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BUY ON CREDIT. TIRES, BATTERIES, radios and accessories. Prices and terms to suit your income. Easy Pay Tire Store. S. Walnut street Phone 105. 28-1mc

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YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT FOR Hempstead County Treasurer. J. Newt Pentecost. 15-1mc

Notice

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Notice

MELON MARKET NOW OPEN. 322 South Walnut. Buying all kinds of melons. Truckers here every day. We are giving our parking space to farmers until our big opening day Monday Aug. 13th. Tom Carvel, Rose Bros., Kidd Bros., Butler Bros., Ray Smith W. B. McMunn, Charley Carlton. 3-3tp

FARMERS, SPORTSMEN, ETC. SAVE your fresh meat by using our Freezer-Locker service. We also cure meat the entire year. Home Ice Co. E. 3rd St. MI-1f

PERSONS WHO CASHED CHECKS at Hope Feed Co. Monday, July 2nd please notify Wade Warren. 12-1mc

WANTED TO LEASE, RENT, SELL White Way Beauty Shop. Good terms to right party. See Ben Southward. 2-3t

1 BUY AND SELL BEEF AND PORK. See O. L. Wyatt or Call 219-W or 6. 27-6tp

For Rent

TWO ROOM UNFURNISHED APARTMENT. 100 East Ave. B. Mrs. B. M. Jones. 3-3tp

ON SOUTH MAIN, GOOD condition, rent reasonable, call 734. 3-3tp

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Heavy Hens 10c lb.
Leghorns 9c lb.
Broilers—light 13c lb; heavy 15 lb.
Eggs 11c doz.
Geese 50c - 60c each
Ducks 20c - 25c each

MIND YOUR MANNERS
T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. May the date on a social note be written at the close of the note to the left of the signature?
2. Is it necessary to include the year when dating a social note?
3. Does the date always appear on the first page of a business letter?
4. In dating a business letter may the year be omitted?
5. What is the most impersonal closing that is correct for a social letter?

What would you do if—
You are closing a social letter to a person you do not know very well—
(a) Write "Cordially yours"?
(b) Write "Sincerely yours"?
(c) Write "Respectfully yours"?
Answers

1. Yes.
2. No.
3. Yes.
4. No. For it may be filed, and then the year is important.
5. "Sincerely yours."
Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Tests Insure Quality

Well-established sporting goods houses make severe tests of the swimming suits they offer for sale. The suits are left outdoors in the rain, are soaked in salt water, are exposed to the hottest sunlight, and undergo other tests.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

THERE I STOOD, WEAPONLESS! THE SLADANG'S FIRST CHARGE HAD COME SO CLOSE THAT MY GUN WAS ACTUALLY KNOCKED FROM MY HANDS AS I FIRED IT! AND NOW THE SLADANG WHEELED, QUICK AS LIGHTNING, AND CAME AT ME HEAD ON! QUITE A SPOT TO BE IN, WHAT? I CLOSED MY EYES, WHEN SUDDENLY I HEARD A SHOT! IT WAS ABOUT MY NUMBER ONE BOY—HE HAD PICKED UP MY GUN AND—OH, I SAY, YOU'VE DOZED OFF, HAVEN'T YOU?

SOMEbody SEEMS TO BE TALKING IN THE MAJOR'S SLEEP—

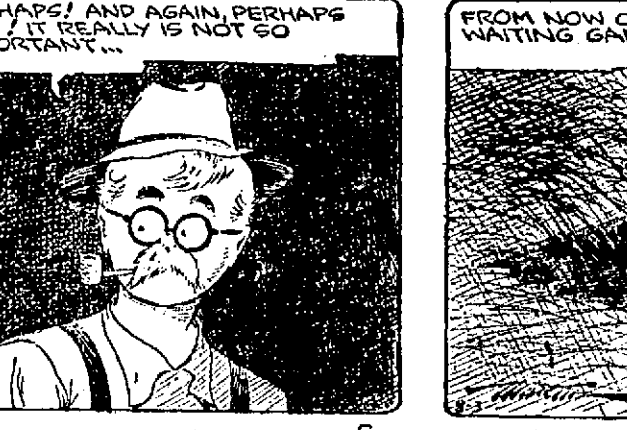
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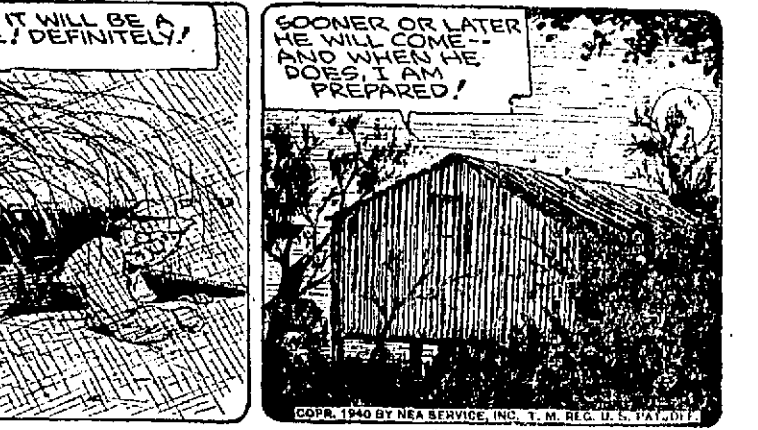
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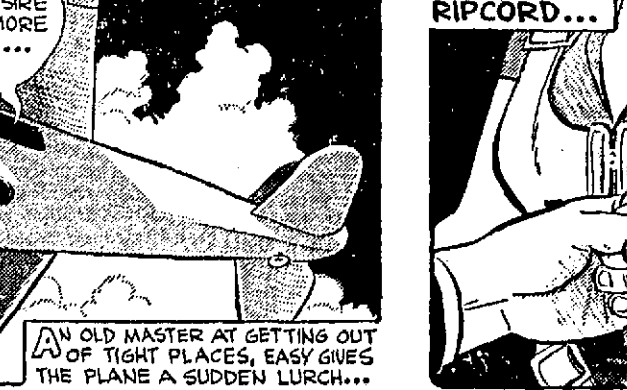
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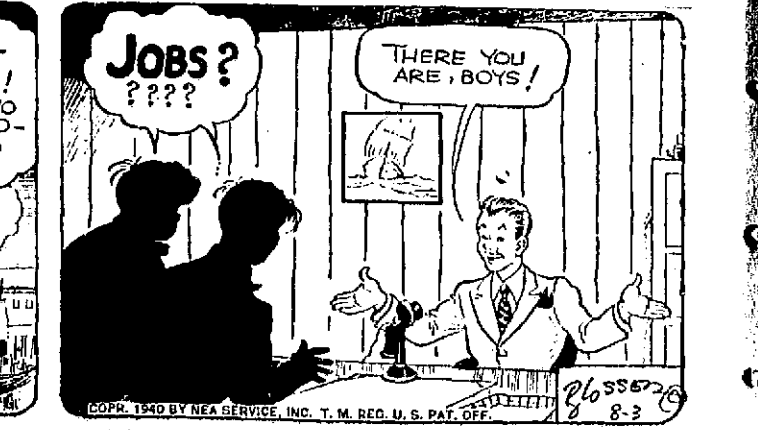
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Can't Believe Their Ears



By Fred Harman



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SOCIETY

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Social Calendar

Monday, August 5th
Joe Vesey Circle of the W. M. S. of the First Methodist Church, annual picnic-swim at the Pines, 7 p. m.
Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church, the Church, 6 p. m.
Circle 4 of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Methodist church, meet at the park for the annual picnic, 5:30 o'clock.
Executive Board of the first Presbyterian church, meet at the church, 4 o'clock.
General Business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church, meet at the Church, 4 o'clock.
Alma Kyler circle of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Methodist church, annual picnic at the Experiment Station, 4 p. m.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Hamill have as week-end guests, Mrs. J. Paul Bruton and son, Paul Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Miss Wanda Lane has as house guests this week, her cousins, Miss Dorothy McKelroy of Mansfield, Louisiana and Miss Betty Jane Askew of Wadsworth. Miss Frances Jean Williams of Sheridan is also a guest in the Lane home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stonequist and little son, Albert Charles, were Friday visitors in Texarkana.

Miss Julia Lemley was a Friday visitor in Hot Springs.

Miss Alice Lile is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Herman Cherry, and Mr. Cherry in Bay, Arkansas. She will also visit friends and relatives in Jonesboro.

Mrs. W. E. Jones is visiting friends and relatives in Idabel, Oklahoma this week.

James Kinney left Saturday for his home in Athens, Georgia after spending an extended vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Westerman.

D. D. Glover Jr., of Malvern was a Friday visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Keith and daughters, the Misses Mary Louise, Zilpha, and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Keith and sons, Victor and Hugh, and Mr. and Mrs. George Keith and children, G. V., Bill, Virginia, Phillip, and Sterling, will motor to Magnolia Sunday to attend a family reunion of the Keith family.

Miss Inez Stewart left Friday for Shreveport, where she will attend Meadows-Draghough College.

Seek 5c Bale to Help Cotton Fight Fund to Defend Markets for Raw Cotton of U. S.
Cotton firms and cotton farmers of Hempstead and surrounding area were called Friday by President Oscar Johnston of the National Cotton Council for "100 per cent allegiance in cotton's total war for increased consumption."

In a message addressed to local producers throughout the country President Johnston declared that "the raw cotton industry is arming as never before in its history to smother down the blitzying of substitutes, surplus, and foreign competition."

The message came simultaneously with the National Cotton Council's announcement of a "universal service" plan to provide funds with which to carry on the fight during the coming year. The new plan, in effect as of August 1, calls for a defense fund of five cents on every bale of lint and three cents on every ton of seed, mobilized with the help of each of the five primary raw cotton interests.

Under the new plan, arrangements have been perfected enabling the producer to make his nickel-a-bale contribution at the first point of sale, either to the cotton merchant, large or small, or the ginmer or warehouseman acting as merchant. This contribution is carried on from merchant to compressor, who remits the when the bale is first compressed, or from merchant to textile mill which remits on uncompressed cotton.

Similarly, contributions on seed, which are made by the ginmer and crusher, are assembled and remitted to the war chest by the oil mills.

"For 40 years we cotton farmers have been talking about an organization like the National Cotton Council to defend our markets and find new uses through judicious advertising, intelligent research, and organized opposition to restrictive legislation," said Mr. Johnston. "At last we have it, and in two years, equipped with modern weapons, it has accomplished more than any of us thought was possible in so short a period."

"Domestic consumption has been brought back virtually to the all-time high, with every indication that a new record can be set in 1941. Plans are ready for a vigorous attack on the acute problem of foreign trade, Council seeks action on the trail of new uses. A united cotton industry has gone to war."

Various entertainments were enjoyed by the guests throughout the night.

Mrs. J. H. Jones is hostess to Members of Friday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Buell Holt of Harrison was a guest at the meeting of the Friday bridge club at the home of Mrs. J. H. Jones on South Pine street.

Three young women beautifully decorated with colorful summer flowers in attractive containers. Two tables were arranged for the guests who indulged in a number of games. Mrs. Cecil Wyatt was the high scorer. The guest was also presented with a dainty gift.

At the conclusion of the games, the hostess served delicious cream and cake to her guests.

Personal Mention

Friends will regret to hear of the death of a former well-known Hope citizen James Newton, who died in Bermuda on Monday, July 29th. He was the son of B. E. Newton Sr. and was a brother of the late Basil Newton of Little Rock.

Mrs. R. V. Herndon and Mrs. Kline Snyder and Mrs. L. W. Young were Thursday afternoon guests of Mrs. C. C. Lewis in Prescott.

Miss Nell Louise Broyles and Miss Marjorie Diddy are the week-end guests of Miss Alice Jean Cooter in Texarkana.

Mrs. J. L. Gilbert of Columbus is spending this week with relatives and friends in Texarkana and East Texas points.

Gerald and Gary Gilbert of Columbus are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. W. M. Thompson of Enmet.

Miss Montez Elmore has returned from a visit with her grandmother, Mrs. W. B. Port, and her friends, Miss Junete Briggs and Miss Sibyl Bush in Little Rock.

Frozen Desserts Satisfy Families

You Can Beat the Heat With Luscious Ice Courses

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE AP Feature Service Writer

You can beat the heat with a freezerful of frozen lusciousness.

Velvety, home-made ice creams and sparkling fruity sherbets no longer are Sunday specials or party treats. Dozens of frozen delights—wholesome, comparatively inexpensive and easy to make—have found their way into the weekday menus of many households.

Western Fruit Sherbet
Tops in flavor, low in cost is Western Fruit Sherbet. Save juices from canned or fresh fruits and use them instead of the water in the recipe if you like. Here's how it goes: Boil together for 2 minutes, 2 cups granulated sugar and 2 cups water. Cool and add a cup each of orange and pineapple juices, 1-3 cup lemon juice 1/2 cup crushed pineapple and 2 teaspoons grated lemon rind. Pour into a chilled, sterilized freezer and pack well with 8 cups of chopped ice to one cup of coarse salt. Turn the crank steadily until it gets a little hard to turn—that means the sherbet has begun to freeze. Then lightly mix in 2 beaten egg whites and freeze until stiff. Drain off the water, remove the dasher, re-pack the freezer and let your sherbet stand 2 hours—or longer—to set. (Never fill the freezer more than two-thirds full of the mixture, to allow for swelling.) This makes a refreshing dessert when served on plain or sponge cake.

You can make it dressier by piling the sherbet into hollowed pineapple cases, garnishing it with fresh mint leaves and sprinkling fresh berries over all.

Summer Bisque
Whisk up the makings for this Summer Bisque in the morning, then let it chill until cranking time. The mixtures swell more if they are chilled thoroughly before freezing time. Here is the recipe: Beat 4 egg yolks and add 2 tablespoons flour 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 cup granulated sugar and 2 cups whole milk. Cook in a double boiler until a little creamy. Stir constantly. Beat, cool and add 2 teaspoons vanilla and 2 cups thin cream. Freeze as usual. Pack and let "ripen" at least 2 hours.

Some housewives prefer to make ice creams and sherbets by the regular freezer method and then keep them in the trays of the mechanical refrigerator. This is a very handy method and the foods will keep well for at least 3 days.

Snow Balls
Snow Balls on a sizzling day—doesn't that sound cooling? Shape any plain ice cream into 2-inch balls, roll them in cocoanut and serve atop rounds of angel food cake. With fresh berry sauce or sliced fresh peaches they are winners. A variation is to stuff hollowed-out individual cakes with plain ice cream and then sprinkle them with crushed pineapple mixed with seeded cherries.

Chocolate Chip Ice Cream
Chocolate Chip Ice Cream is another new fangled dessert. When vanilla ice cream is half frozen, mix in 2-3 cup of shaved chocolate chips for each 2 cups of cream used in the recipe. Put in a few shredded toasted almonds, too, for extra crunch.

Peppermint Stick Ice Cream
The youngsters will make a dash for the dasher taken from a freezer of Peppermint Stick Ice Cream. Crush 1/4 pound peppermint candy and soak it 15 minutes in a cup of hot milk. Cool and add to a quart of thin cream soaked 10 minutes with a cup of granulated sugar, 1/4 teaspoon salt and 2 teaspoons of vanilla. Tint green, or pink and freeze as usual. Place scoops of this ice cream on rounds of angel food cake and surround them with chocolate sauce—hot or cold.

Banana Ice Cream
Banana Ice Cream is another favorite. Omit the peppermint candy from the recipe above and substitute 1 cup mashed bananas and 2 teaspoons grated orange rind. Stuff halves of slightly sweetened peaches with banana ice cream and garnish with fresh berries.

Only games scheduled.

for Franklin D. RUSEvelt. I noticed also that most of these who used that pronunciation were from down east. It was probably the Dutch touch. Then there were those several exuberant delegates who shouted their votes for Franklin De-LAY-no Roosevelt!

I'll bet the DEL-uh-no family, which is quite prominent in its own right, got bored with that. Maybe the real reason FDR wants a third term is that he feels he'd better stick in the White House until the country learns to pronounce his name.

M. L. B. Cincinnati, Ohio—You are dead right. The vote (franchise) for the District of Columbia is up against a lot of trouble. When I reported recently that something probably would be done about it, I merely meant that the thing was coming to a head. From this distance, there's no telling what may happen, although some House and Senate leaders have pronounced for it. The matter has been up before . . . and defeated. If you must have the truth, one of the biggest bones of contention is the big negro vote here (about 40 per cent).

G. K. D. Evanston, Ill.—probably before this can get into type, there will be an answer to your question and someone will have been named to the position of James A. Farley. But here and now I can tell you that there is a lot of talk that Paul V. McNutt not only will become national chairman of the Democratic party but Postmaster General as well. About the only question is whether FDR has this or something better in mind for McNutt. The point is—what does McNutt want? At this reporting, he has refused to say.

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She Didn't Like Being an "Ugly Duckling"



AFTER: The streamlined Barbara Lorré of today. Her hips, which measured 42 inches in April now measure 36. Her waistline, thighs, ankles and arms are slimmer. And her present posture is perfect. At right, as she appears nightly, singing in a night club. Despite her good voice, it wasn't until after her appearance improved that she landed a job as a singer.

By ALICIA HART NEA Service Staff Writer

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Miss Lorré weighs 13 pounds less, has perfect posture, wears her hair becomingly, knows how to care for her skin properly and apply makeup artistically. Being perfectly groomed gives her poise and self-confidence which she lacked before.

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about the compulsory military training bill. Very likely the bill will come out in entirely different form than the one being shaped up in committee. I would be surprised if it didn't result in the biggest floor fight during the national defense drive.

O. G. Payne, Okla.—I trust by now you have your book or letter written. By the way, Mr. James F. Gandy's campaign (if you could call it that) to make the government departments letter-writing conscious has gained such impetus that the poor man is sort of quadruple-drafted for a third term.

In other words, the various federal agencies have discovered that there are few things more important than saying it right when you say it in print . . . something that we writers Johnny have told them a long time ago. Often, there is no more than an adjective between a libel suit and friendly relations.

Irresistible Pull
The curious actions of the prawn in creeping to the positive pole, when placed in an electrically charged tank, are caused by the arrangement of their nerve fibers. The creatures can no more help crawling toward the pole than a piece of steel can resist a magnet.

Washington Scene Is Much Changed

Three Administration Veterans Have Departed

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — The Washington scene has changed more rapidly since the Chicago convention than in any similar period since the New Deal took over in 1933.

Three administration veterans, wheel horses in the Democratic party who have been around here some time, have departed. There is some possibility that a fourth will follow. It'll never be the same Washington without "Big Jim" Farley, "Cactus Jack" Garner, "Lou" Johnson, nor without Paul McNutt, if he goes home too, as some of his friends say he will.

Most missed perhaps will be Farley, the big genial fellow who came down with "The Boss" in 1933, parked at the Postmaster General's desk and for seven years gave all he had to the twin jobs of seeing that the mail went through and keeping the Democratic party machinery running smoothly.

Farley will be hard to replace. Target of all the abuse of Republicans and anti-New Deal Democrats, he stood the potshots without a whimper.

Garner Career Over?
Farley's split with the President over the third term was merely the final straw. The breach in the relations had been widening for a couple of years as President Roosevelt turned more and more to the inner circle. New Dealer sand less to his old campaign manager with his confidences and plans.

Nobody who was with Farley in those closing days of the convention could fail to see how deeply hurt he was that he had been brushed aside as the group that had its nucleus in Harry Hopkins, Senators "Jimmy" Byrnes and Alben Barkley took over.

Farley might have quit the government anyway to repair his personal fortunes, but he would rather have done it under different circumstances and with less misgivings for the future of the Democratic party to which he has been so devoted.

When Vice President John Nance Garner departed for Uvalde, Texas, the other day, it was a grim, tearful little knot of friends who saw him and Mrs. Garner off at the station.

It was no secret that Garner was embittered by the "third term." His friends say that he may never return to Washington, but whether he does or doesn't it probably is the end of his long political career, as I pointed out here some months back.

With Louis Johnson, the 200-pound, machine-gun talking lawyer from Claiborne, W. Va., who threw Army defense measures into high gear, as Undersecretary of War, it was not a question of the "third term." But he was the victim of changing politics that put Republican Henry L. Stimson in as Secretary of War. It was no secret that Johnson felt he was due the Secretary of War post.

When he didn't get it and was not rewarded at Chicago by a nod from the President that might have made him Roosevelt's running mate, he too departed.

M. Martin Opens
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office of attorney general in connection with . . . the proposed highway refunding bill and his improper use of it in the attempt to serve his own personal and political designs, as distinguished from administering his office in the public welfare and interest."

Martin condemned an opinion Holt issued during the special refunding session of the legislature last summer holding an emergency clause attached to the refunding bill invalid.

"Seeing that his (Holt's) opposition to the enactment of the (refund) measure was failing," Martin said, "He decided to completely ignore the dignity of his office to which you had entrusted him, and during the latter days of the bill's consideration by the general assembly, he issued his political opinion as attorney general of Arkansas, against the validity, as he opined, of a certain provision (the emergency clause) of the bill, holding same unconstitutional, going the full length toward strangulation of the legislation, rendered in the hope that the opinion of the attorney general of Arkansas would defeat enactment."

"It is no answer for him to now say, hoping to excuse himself, that the supreme court later rendered its decision, by a divided vote, 4 to 3, holding the emergency clause of the bill invalid. The holding of the supreme court is,

Military Training Bill Is Discussed

Burke-Wadsworth Bill Will Probably Be Passed

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WASHINGTON—Johnny, you'd better be looking for your gun.
If you are an able-bodied male, between 21 and 31, without dependents and working in a key position in some defense industry, you are going to need it.
That is the way the thing looks now, although I have pointed out before that the compulsory military service bill is in for a battle before it clears the senate and house and is signed by the President. A law in some form it will become, certainly—the only time that any sort of compulsory military service has become operative in the United States during peace time.
The way the bill looks at this writing, about 12,000,000 young men are going to register with their respective draft boards sometime in September. Within a month, 400,000 will be told to report for military training, and although some will have legitimate excuses which will exempt them, the rest can take it and like it... or go to jail.
We Need a Big Stick
The reason for the bill—and a majority of the folks back home seem to agree that the reason is adequate—is primarily that we were caught without a navy adequate to defend both oceans. Not having a navy that can take care of the Atlantic as well as the Pacific (best estimates are that it will be 1947 before we can reach that state of preparedness), the idea is that we must have an army which will scare the pants off anybody.
Opponents of the bill aren't arguing that we don't need the army... they're just claiming that we can get enough men by enlistment. The army people, having been through all that before, say it can't be done, despite recent enlistments of about a thousand a day. They claim, and history backs them up, that shortly this voluntary business will reach the saturation point and they'll have days when nobody comes in and says "I wanna be a soldier."
The bill currently provides for registration of men who are 18 and not yet 64. Only those between 21 and 45 are liable for military service, but the others may have to serve in home defense units. There's a probability that men under 21 and over 45 will not have to register at present.
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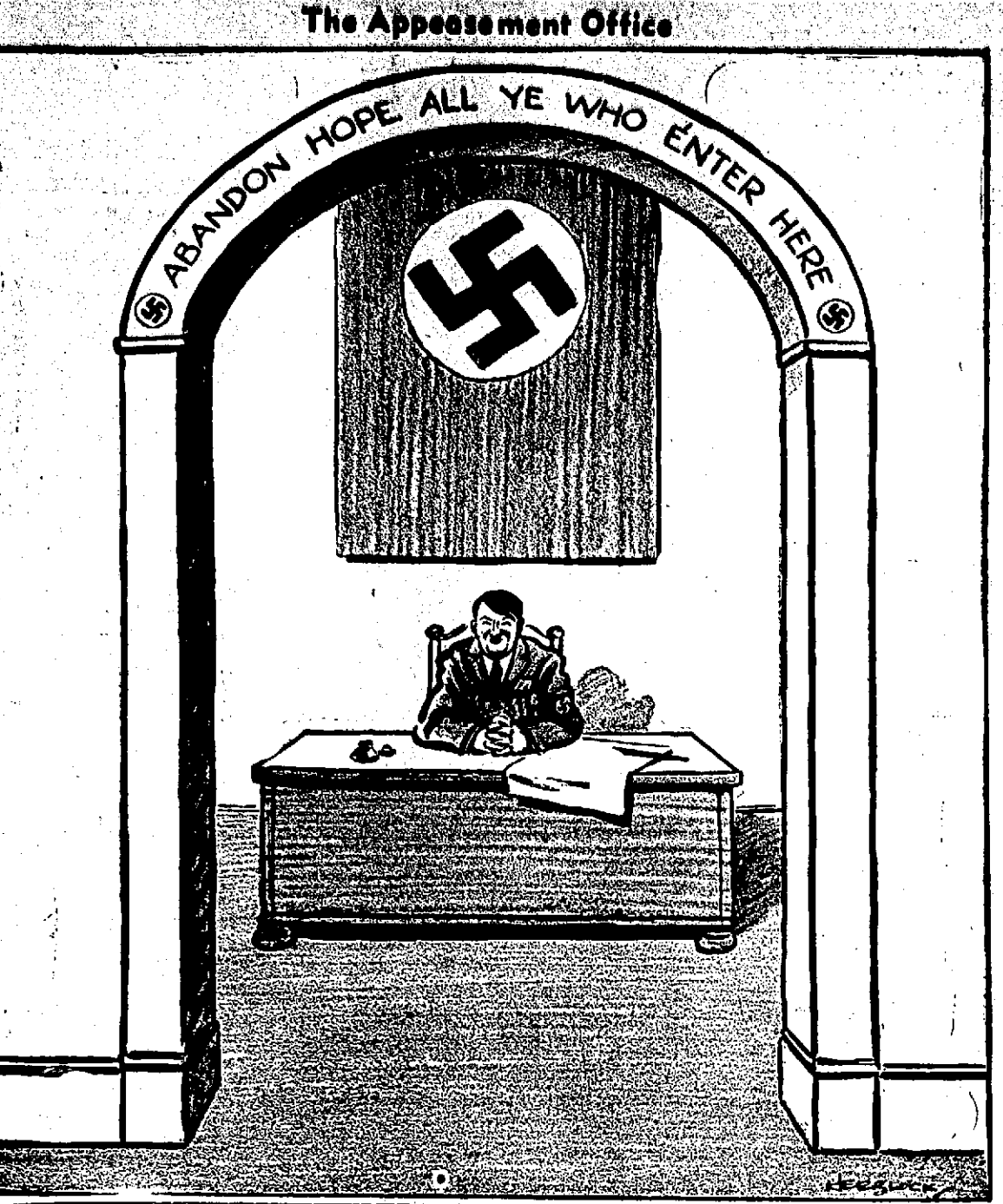
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Enlistments right now are coming in at 6000 a week, and the drive to reach a total enlisted strength of 280,000 by the end of August is approximately two weeks ahead of schedule. Rate of recruitments has been increasing steadily for the past two or three months.
As soon as it reaches the 280,000 level, the army has to begin a new campaign, taking on 95,000 more men so as to reach the authorized maximum of 375,000. Schedule calls for completion of this job by the end of the year, and present indications are that goal will be reached.
CCC Brings Complaints
Reports about the lag seem to have originated in the second corps area, centering around New York City. It's true that few (comparatively) are signing up there, but that's nothing new; for some reason New York never has been a good hunting ground.
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YESTERDAY, Molly's introduction to the Cape crowd is successful, mainly through Jean's efforts. Jean promises to leave the Cape for good, and Molly, who has been waiting for Jean to leave, is overjoyed. Jean tells Molly that she is leaving, and Molly is happy to see her go. Jean says she is leaving, and Molly is happy to see her go.

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"Did Molly tell you that? Is she in love with me?"
Jean laughed unhappily. "You're bawling, Johnny. She thinks you're cute as a bug's ear."
Johnny cursed himself for letting Jean see his heart. He'd spread it out before her and she was sneering.
"Why go home, then? Why not stay here and heckle? Think I can't take it?"
She looked at him, almost with pity. "Oh, Johnny, what's the use? I've tried to like the girl, honestly I have. She's so smooth and beautiful she frightens me to death. And she's a grand actress. But she's ambitious, Johnny."

Johnny snorted. "Ambition isn't any crime. Let me tell you something, my sweet—poisoning my mind isn't going to help. I'd marry Molly tomorrow, if she'd have me."
"I won't be here tomorrow to see that, thank heaven," Jean answered.
She sat down on the sea chest and swung her feet. She was still a little girl, Johnny thought. Brown legs and socks, cardigan buttoned once at the neck, silly little ribbons tucked into her brown curls. Nothing alluring or mysterious about Jean. Just a little girl, hurt and angry because somebody had broken her favorite doll.

"Jean," he said, "I'm sorry, truly I am. Don't think I haven't missed our Cape Cod, the one of other summers. Sometimes I wish I'd never laid eyes on Molly. I'd be happier. I suppose, digging quahogs and sailing with you, not being in love."
"Is it love?" Jean asked with a glimmer of wisdom that hardly belonged to a little girl. "I wonder."
They were silent for a minute, so still that they could hear the clock ticking. It's the perfect moment for me to say, "Let's be friends," thought Johnny. But he said nothing, busied himself swishing imaginary dust from pine cone parrots.

"What I really came to say," Jean was speaking steadily, as if she had taken a deep breath and it was safe to continue, "is that I've lent my cameo to Molly for her part in the play, and since I won't be here to retrieve it, I want you to send it to me."
"Why, Jean," Johnny gasped, "that's a foolish thing for you to do. The Reynolds cameo is a museum piece! You know that."
He sounded like the stern parent. What was Jean thinking of? The Metropolitan was still negotiating for the Reynolds cameo. It had been made especially in Italy for Jean's grandmother. There were certain peculiarities about its design which made it invaluable.

Jean looked at him intently. "Sure you're not thinking of the legend? It's unlucky if anyone but a Reynolds wears it, you know."
"That old legend is pure fiction. I was thinking of the value of the brooch, and what your father would say if he knew you lent it to Molly."
"Oh, she'll take care of it," Jean assured him. "I was wearing it the afternoon she came to tea. She said, 'What a lovely old cameo. I had imagined Mrs. Lyons wearing one just like it in her throat.' Mrs. Lyons, that's who she is in the play."
"And so you took it right off and put it in her hand," Johnny was exasperated. Jean jumped from the chest and came over to where he stood, straightening his desk to hide his annoyance.

"A friend of yours is a friend of mine," she told him, "and I'm not going to embarrass myself by asking her to give it back before the play. Now get over your mad, and kiss me goodby for old times' sake."
Jean was in his arms kissing him as she had never kissed him before. Somewhere in his heart a dormant flurry stirred. He pushed her away from him.
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"Stop, dearest," he said, patting her shoulders. He hated himself for what had happened to them, but his feeling for Molly was the same. He couldn't deny that, even with Jean so near to him.
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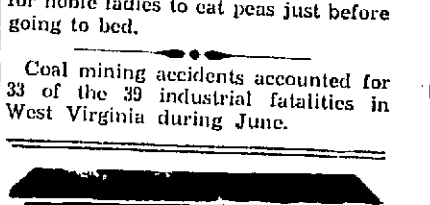
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